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Notification of Loss of Entitlement to Small Entity Status and our credit card payment form

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#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	John A. Dicello et al.	)	
		) Group Art Unit: 3726	
Serial No.:	08/241,109	)	
		) Examiner: Marc W. Butle	cr
Filed:	May 11, 1994	)	
		)	
For:	Process For The Manufacture	) Confirmation: 8848	
	of Metal Tubes	)	

NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS (37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2)) and NOTIFICATION OF ERROR IN PAYMENT OF FEE(S) AS A SMALL ENTITY (37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby notifies the Patent and Trademark office that it is no longer entitled to status as a small entity and that the claim for small entity status is hereby withdrawn.

On June 10, 2005, a small entity assertion was filed in this application and Patent No. 5709021.

The assertion of small entity status in this 08/241,109/5,709,021 and the payment of fee(s) as a small entity were made in good faith.

It has now been discovered that some fee(s) were erroneously paid as a small entity.

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Fee(s) Erroneously Paid as a Small Entity

Fee Paid as a Small Entity

Current Fee Due Deficiency Owed

Filing fee paid on

December 23, 2009

\$2055.00

\$2675.00

Fee for excess claims (over 20) paid on Fee for excess independent claims (over 3) paid on

Extension of time fee paid on

The issue fee paid on

Other

#### Total Deficiency Owed

Applicant hereby requests the Commissioner to removed the status of small entity from the instant application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

Respectfully submitted,

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